

MICHIGAN AFFORDABLE HOUSING COMMUNITY FIVE YEAR ACTION PLAN	
WORKGROUP NAME:	Supportive Housing
DATE:	10/19/2005

WORKGROUP STRATEGIC ISSUES:
<p>Strategic Issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create affordable housing by being responsive to local communities and supporting a wide array of housing options that support personal choice. Issues include affordability, availability, and addressing barriers • Assure that services are available and accessible to persons living in supportive housing, including services that allow folks to remain in their homes; addressing issues of funding “silos”; and creating on-going funding vs. piecing funding sources together • Strengthen infrastructure through education and technical assistance to Emergency Shelters, DOC and other public systems, and nonprofit housing providers • Increase public support/political will by building an inclusive network of advocates and increasing public awareness
<p>Targeted Sub-Populations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Persons with Substance Addictions ▪ Persons with Special Needs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developmental Disabilities Physical Disabilities Sensory Disabilities Mental Illness ▪ Persons who are Chronically Homeless ▪ Victims of Domestic Violence ▪ Persons who are Transitioning out of Nursing Homes ▪ Youth in Transition (rural & urban issue) ▪ Homeless Youth ▪ Former Offenders ▪ Veterans